

LED LIGHTING: ENERGY EFFICIENT & PLANET FRIENDLY



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The LR4 and LR24 Story

- **The Design Approach**
- **The Products**
 - LR4
 - LR24
 - The Unique Challenges
- **Examples**
 - Installations
 - Economics
 - Environment
- **Conclusion**



The Approach



Effective LED Luminaire Design Starts Here...



LED Luminaire Design Requires a Different Approach

- It requires an integrated systems approach
 - LEDs
 - Electronics – power supply & driver
 - Mechanical design
 - Thermal management
 - Optics
- **Total system optimization is critical to maximize performance**

Cree LR6 Color Mixing Technology

- A unique way to generate white light with LEDS
 - Proprietary mix of unsaturated yellow and red
 - Active color management
 - Up to 70LPW of delivered light
 - 92+ CRI
 - 2700K or 3500K
- Generate as many of the right photons as you can



Electronics – Power Supply and Driver

- AC to DC conversion
- Power factor correction
- LED control (voltage)
 - Set initial color
 - Actively maintain color over time
 - Maintain color over range of temperatures
 - Change output based upon dimming input
- Meet FCC requirements for EMI
- **Don't waste electrons**

Optical Mixing

**Shield
LED's
from
direct
view**

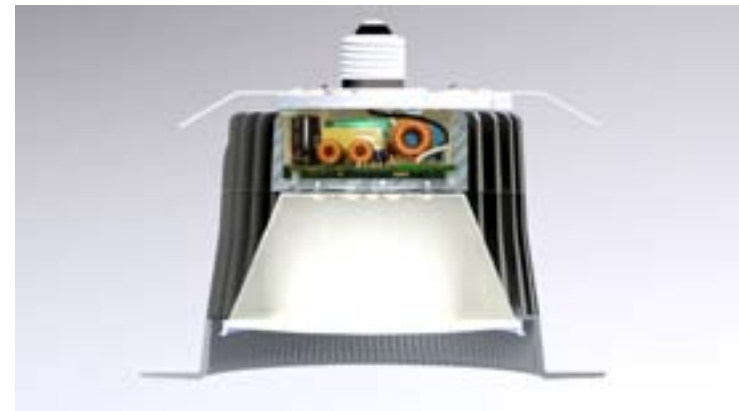
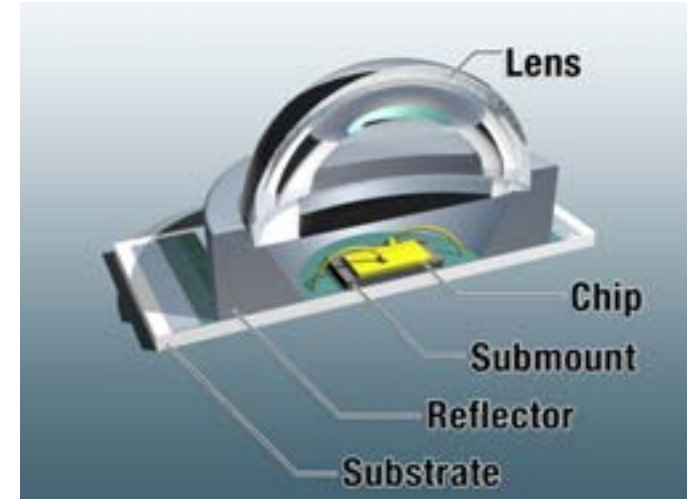
**Deliver
homogeneous
light output
and
appearance**



Don't waste photons

LR6 Thermal Management

- Heat kills LEDs
 - Heat must be conducted away
- LED junction temperature critical to lifetime
- Thermal management is part of the system
 - From the LED chip to the environment
 - Every thermal interface must be considered and optimized
- **Don't waste LED potential**



Key Question Checklist

- ☐ Energy Star Qualified?
- ☐ What are the **DELIVERED lumens**?
- ☐ What is the REAL Input Power?
- ☐ Do you have photometric reports and **IES files**?
- ☐ Have light output and color characteristics been validated by **independent testing labs**?
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- ☐ What is the CRI at each color temperature?
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Lighting for Tomorrow – The Benefits

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The Products

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LR4 Recessed Downlight



LR24 Architectural Lay-In



The LR4 Recessed Downlight



The LR4 Recessed Downlight

- 15 or 30 Degree Shield
- 540 or 515 Delivered Lumens
- 10.5W or 11.1W
- 2700K or 3500K CCT
- 94 or 91 CRI
- Designed for 50,000 hour L₇₀
- Dimmable to 20%
- 120V
- Power Factor > 0.95



The Unique Challenges

- LR4
 - Electronics
 - LED count
 - Optical
 - Increased Recess
 - Surface area of lens
 - Thermal
 - Deeper recess of LEDs
 - Separate trim



The LR24 Architectural Lay-in

- 2'X2' Troffer
- 3200 Delivered Lumens
 - 40FC maintained with 8X8 spacing
- 48W Max power
- 92 CRI
- 3500K CCT
- Designed for 50,000 hour L₇₀
- Dimmable to 5%
- 120V-277V



The Unique Challenges – LR24

- Thermal
 - Operating environment
 - Height restrictions
- Electrical
 - LED count
 - Operating range
 - Dimming control



- Optical
 - LED count
 - Mechanical shielding
 - Surface area to illuminate



The Installs



Notre Dame Conference Room



Notre Dame Conference Room

- 3780 kWh saved annually
- 84% direct energy savings
- 4 tons of CO₂ emissions avoided annually
- 109 tons avoided over lifetime



Pentagon Wedge 5 Demonstration



Alcove Before

Pentagon Wedge 5 Demonstration



Alcove After

Pentagon Wedge 5 Renovation



Alcove Before



Alcove After

Less than 4 year payback
Over \$3M Lifetime Savings
140 tons of CO₂ emissions avoided yearly

Installations – The Stanford Court



Installations



Installations



Residential Installation



Conference Room Installation



Conclusion

- **Lighting for Tomorrow has provided:**
 - Credibility
 - Exposure
 - Motivation
- **The LR4 and LR24 extend the application of what was learned in developing the LR6**
- **SSL luminaires are viable TODAY in numerous indoor general illumination applications**



The End